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The Option Period in Which to File Foreign is Now Running

You may be entitled to file corresponding foreign applications. In accordance with most foreign patent laws and treaties, any such application usually must be filed within 12 months (or 6 months for a design patent application) of the U.S. filing date. A limited number of countries, do not offer this option period. An application in these countries must be filed before any public disclosure of the invention. If an application is to be filed in Canada, it must be filed within one (1) year of the first public disclosure (printed publication or otherwise) anywhere in the world if the disclosure is derived from the patent applicant and not from a third party. Please call me if you have any questions about foreign filing of your application.

Inform Us of Changes in the Invention

You should advise us immediately if any changes or improvements are made in the commercial form of the invention. Upon receipt of such information, we will review the original disclosure and claims to determine whether or not any modifications are required.

Duty of Disclosure is Critically Important

Another purpose of this letter is to remind you of a critically important obligation. According to Title 37 of the United States Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56, every applicant has a duty of candor and good faith to disclose to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office any information of which the applicant is aware which is material to the examination of the patent application. Rule 56 states:

A patent by its very nature is affected with a public interest. The public interest is best served, and the most effective patent examination occurs when, at the time an application is being examined, the Office is aware of and evaluates the teachings of all information material to patentability. **Each individual associated with the filing and prosecution of a patent application has a duty of candor and good faith in dealing with the Office, which includes a duty to disclose to the Office all information known to that individual to be material to patentability as defined in this section.** The duty to

disclose information exists with respect to each pending claim until the claim is cancelled or withdrawn from consideration, or the application becomes abandoned. Information material to the patentability of a claim that is cancelled or withdrawn from consideration need not be submitted if the information is not material to the patentability of any claim remaining under consideration in the application. There is no duty to submit information which is not material to the patentability of any existing claim. The duty to disclose all information known to be material to patentability is deemed to be satisfied if all information known to be material to patentability of any claim issued in a patent was cited by the Office or submitted to the Office in the manner prescribed by §§ 1.97(b)-(d) and 1.98.

**Failure to Comply With the Duty Can Have
Serious Adverse Consequences**

Rule 56 goes on to state that no patent will be granted if this duty of disclosure is violated. Also, if a patent is granted where an applicant fails to comply with Rule 56, the patent may be unenforceable and the patent owner may be liable for attorneys fees and expenses of anyone sued for infringement.

The Term "Prior Art" is Very Broadly Construed

Keep in mind that relevant information might relate to any number of different items which existed prior to the invention such as:

- a. patents or publications including your own which describe or suggest the invention,
- b. patents or publications which show or describe any individual feature of the invention, or
- c. similar products (including yours and those of a competitor).

Other information may be relevant if it refutes or is inconsistent with arguments we make in opposing an argument of unpatentability made by the Patent and Trademark Office or asserting an argument of patentability. Additionally, any activities which might be construed as a publication, public use, sale or offer for sale, commercialization, etc. of the invention more than one (1) year prior to filing the application must also be disclosed. Finally, any of your related patent applications may need to be disclosed.

Audrey F. Sher, Esq.

July 12, 2000

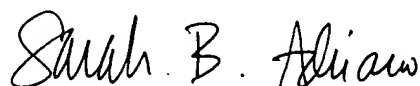
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We Must Submit an Information Disclosure Statement

To meet the Rule 56 obligation, an Information Disclosure Statement should be submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on or before **October 3, 2000**. The Information Disclosure Statement must include identification and discussion of the items mentioned above. Therefore, please provide us with any information you have of this type. If other information is later brought to your attention, notify us so that a supplemental statement can be prepared and filed. To avoid incurring fees, each piece of prior art must be disclosed to the Patent and Trademark Office within three months of the time that it first came to your attention.

Please respond to us regarding this matter in sufficient time for us to prepare a complete Information Disclosure Statement before the date noted above. If you have any questions or comments, do not hesitate to discuss them with us.

Sincerely,



Sarah B. Adriano

Enclosure: Copy of Patent Application as Filed

cc: Christopher A. Klein, Esq. (w/o encl.)
Dr. Peter Linsley (w/encl.)
Dr. Jeffrey Ledbetter (w/encl.)
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Dr. Nitin Damle (w/encl.)

ASSIGNMENT

BMS Ref. No. ON0085I

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledge, ASSIGNOR (S),

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| 1. Peter S. Linsley | 2. Jeffrey A. Ledbetter |
| 3. Jurgen Bajorath | 4. Robert J. Peach |
| 5. William Brady | 5. Philip Wallace |
| 7. Nitin Damle | |

hereby sell, assign and transfer to ASSIGNEE, Bristol-Myers Squibb Company, a New Jersey corporation, having its statewide administrative offices located at PO Box 4000, Princeton, New Jersey 09543-4000, and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE all of its right, title and interest for the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries in and to, any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled:

SOLUBLE CTLA4 MUTANT MOLECULES AND USES THEREOF

and which is found in

- (a) _____ U.S. patent application executed _____, entitled as above and listing the above-named persons as inventors
- (b) X U.S. application serial no. Not Yet Known, filed on July 3, 2000
- (c) _____ U.S. Patent No.: _____, issued _____

and any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country, including the right to claim priority and, in and to, all Letters Patent to be obtained for said invention by the above application or any continuation, division, continuation-in-part, extension or substitute thereof, and any reissue, reexamination or extension of said Letters patent and all rights under all International Conventions for the Protection of Industrial Property:

ASSIGNOR (S) hereby covenants that no assignment, sale agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with his assignment;

ASSIGNOR (S) further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference, litigation, or proceeding relating thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments, or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue or enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof. An attorney of record is authorized and requested by the execution of this assignment to insert into this assignment the filing date and serial number of said application when officially known.

And the ASSIGNOR (S) requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent of the United States and any reissue or extension thereof to the ASSIGNEE, Bristol-Myers Squibb Company.

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Signature of Inventor (s)

_____ day of _____, 2000

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Re: Peter S. Linsley et al., entitled "SOLUBLE CTLA4 MUTANT MOLECULES AND USES THEREOF," U.S. Serial No. 09/609,915 filed July 3, 2000, CIP of U.S. Serial No. 09/603,825 filed June 26, 2000, CIP of U.S. Serial No. 09/014,761, divisional of U.S. Serial No. 08/539,436 filed October 5, 1995 now U.S. Patent No. 6,132,992 issued on October 17, 2000, CIP of U.S. Serial No. 08/228,208 filed April 15, 1994, now U.S. Patent No. 6,090,914 issued on July 18, 2000, which is a CIP of U.S. Serial No. 08/008,898 filed January 22, 1993, now U.S. Patent No. 5,770,197 issued on June 23, 1998, which in turn is a CIP of U.S. Serial No. 07/723,617 filed June 27, 1991 now abandoned BMS Ref. ON0085I; M&A Ref. 30436.30US12

Dear Audrey:

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January 30, 2001

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If you have any comments or questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,



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